

SHIP LABORERS WILL NOT WORK

Attempt Will be Made to Load the Belgian To-day at Any Cost.

Quebec, April 30.—(Special.)—Plenty of trouble is ahead of the Leyland line if yesterday's proceedings are any criterion.

With former experiences in their mind, the laborers lost no time in quitting work. They assembled in the shed, and were paid for the two hours' work by Captain Hawke.

QUIT WORK AT ONCE.

The discharging scene which took place on the docks in connection with the unloading of the Leyland liner Belgian was accomplished in a very short time.

MAY COME TO MONTREAL.

The vessel remained idle, but the officials were exceedingly busy. It was openly stated on the street to-day by prominent and well-informed men that the upshot of the matter will be that the Belgian will have to be taken to Montreal, and that Quebec's dreams of commercial progress and supremacy will never be realized.

LABOR NEWS

Iron Molders' Union hold a meeting to-morrow evening at 96 1/2 Craig Street.

The United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners will hold an annual meeting this evening in Blue Label Hall, 560 Dorchester Street.



Once or twice a year the good housewife has a thorough house cleaning. The house has been swept and dusted every day in the year, but the housewife knows that in spite of vigilance dust accumulates in cracks and corners, and is only to be removed by special effort.

Medical Adviser, in paper covers, sent free on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps to pay cost of uniforms and mailing only.

NEWS NOTES

Ontario. West Huron Conservatives have again nominated Major Beck for the Legislature.

DISTRICT NEWS

Brookville. Brockville, April 29.—(Special.)—Private Turner, who went to South Africa with the First Contingent, arrived home on Saturday.

ST. LAMBERT.

St. Lambert, April 30.—(Special.)—New pavements have been put down where damage was done by the rise in the river at the breaking up of the ice two weeks ago.

ETHICS OF TAX SALES

Toronto, April 30.—Has a municipality the right to hold land acquired at tax sales until it shows a profit or should each block be sold for the amount against it with reasonable interest?

AROUND THE CITY

Westmount. Miss Helen E. Marks, Western avenue, has returned from New York.

Point St. Charles. The different factories along the canal will reopen to-morrow morning.

How a Sprain Does Hurt! But it isn't the pain alone that is dreaded, just think of the loss of time and wages.

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BIGGEST DAY ON STOCK EXCHANGE

All the Records in Its History Broken by Yesterday's Transactions. New York, April 30.—Transactions on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday were by far the largest in the history of that institution, the total being estimated at 2,760,000 shares.

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ARCHDEACON MUST APPROVE PROF. STEEN Christ Church Congregation Makes Its Wishes Known Emphatically. CONGREGATION MAY PRACTICALLY WITHDRAW If Last Night's Mandate is Not Carried Out Exactly as Wished.

There was a stormy meeting of the congregation of Christ Church Cathedral last evening when the adjourned vestry meeting for the further consideration of the appointment of Rev. Professor Steen as assistant minister was held in the chapter house. The Ven. Archdeacon Norton occupied the chair, and for three hours and a quarter he had to defend himself from a concentrated volley of attack from all quarters with regard to his failure to nominate the professor or to continue his services as a special preacher.

SOME PEWS GIVEN UP.

But there was much besides this discussed at the meeting. There have been developments of the very gravest moment affecting the welfare of the church itself which cannot be overlooked, the most significant of these being the fact that a very large number of the most prominent members of the congregation have already given up their pews. Amongst these are Mr. Justice Hall, Mrs. Matthew Gault, who has been a communicant and one of the most regular attenders at divine service in the Cathedral for forty-two years, and Mr. Percy Gault, who has been one of the most active workers in the church. Others equally prominent have adopted the same course and it is declared that practically the entire congregation will follow the example which has just been set by retiring from the church should the rector fail to carry out the mandate given by the resolution passed last evening.

It has been intimated by those who have endeavored to defend the course pursued by the rector that Prof. Steen had not been a source of great financial strength to the church, but that the congregation attracted by his eloquence were not those who contributed largely to the church funds, and that the Cathedral finances were but little better for his preaching. No better an omen to this uncharitable contention could be given than the report made last evening that the offertory at the morning service, when the rector was assisted by the Rev. Canon Norton, amounted to \$17, while at the evening service, when Professor Steen preached, it reached \$70. It was pointed out that the morning offertories are as much larger than the evening as the evening collection in this case was in excess of the morning.

Another matter of much interest to the majority present was the different accounts given by the rector and members of the select vestry with regard to what transpired at a private meeting which was held on Saturday evening, at which the rector declared he was painfully affected at the persistence with which one of the members endeavored to make him break his vow of obedience. The vestry seemed amused on being told later the particulars of the incident.

REBUKES THE STAR.

But the excitement reached a culminating point over what was regarded as the inspired article or interview with regard to Professor Steen which appeared in the Star last evening. It was referred to as an attempt to lead people to believe that Professor Steen had for a fortnight hesitated to give the Archbishop his consent to the publication of the reasons which His Grace was prepared to give against the professor's appointment to the Cathedral.

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received no communication whatever to the effect that consent was required of him until the Archbishop wrote on Saturday last a letter which Professor Steen received yesterday morning, and which could in no way be construed as a request to allow the reasons to be given.

A competent authority states that the impetuosity of cowardice or hesitation on Professor Steen's part was proved to the satisfaction of the meeting to be entirely unfounded. Professor Steen was first made aware of the fact that the Archbishop asked his consent to publish his reasons and writing to Mr. Steen to give his assent, when he read the statement to that effect which appeared in the evening papers last Friday.

This particular incident ended with the vestry unanimously expressing its disapproval of the article which appeared in the Star, and the following motion was unanimously adopted: "That this vestry repudiates the article of the Star of this evening concerning the Rev. Professor Steen, and calls on the gentleman who is said to have inspired it to produce his proofs for the insinuation that he had given his assent to the publication of his name."

The steps taken by the rector to carry out wishes of the congregation as herein expressed, as the Archbishop had only expressed his consent to the professor's appointment, should not be retained, and as the rector had not up to the present formally applied, as was customary, to the Archbishop, to sanction the retention of Professor Steen, he had failed to give effect to the congregation's wishes.

It is stated that as the result of questions put at the meeting evidence was satisfactory to the vestry that the movement had been on foot for greater part of a year which had for its object the removal of Professor Steen not only from the Diocesan College, but from the Cathedral.

Then came the question of Professor Steen's license. The vestry was given to understand at the early meetings that the impossibility of obtaining a license from the Archbishop to Professor Steen was an insuperable obstacle to his appointment. It was also given out that his preaching at the Cathedral was merely an excuse for the discovery that Prof. Steen had already a license opened their eyes to this illusion.

Before putting the motion, the rector explained that he could not commit any act of rebellion against the Archbishop's authority. To bring Professor Steen into the Cathedral in opposition to the Archbishop's strongly expressed objection would produce a good result. The meeting expressed its assent to this motion, which was carried.

City News in Brief.

A GROWING BUSINESS.—Mr. Gallagher, proprietor of the restaurant, to-day begins alterations which will greatly enlarge his premises. He will convert the second story into an "overlook" dining room, with private dining rooms in the front.

DEATH OF MR. M. P. GUY.—The oldest member of the notarial profession passed away yesterday in the person of Mr. M. P. Guy, of 901 Sherbrooke Street. He was in his 83rd year. Deceased leaves two sons, Mr. M. H. and E. C. P. Guy, both notaries.

NOT MR. EUGENE DESJARDINS' STORE.—Through an error in yesterday's report of the passing of counterfeit coin on J. Smith, an immigrant, reference was made to the store of Mr. Eugene Desjardins, Windsor and St. Antoine Streets. It was not there the coin was passed, but at 108 Windsor Street.

SERVICES FOR MAY.—There will be special services in Bonsecours Church to-night in celebration of the advent of May. Mr. Racicot will assist in the ceremonies.

FIRST OF THE SEASON.—The first sailor concert of the season will be given to-night at the Sailor's Institute. Mr. C. S. J. Phillips will preside and a first class programme has been arranged which includes the songs by Miss Belle Beck, recitations by Mr. Chas. Phillips and various selections by the sailors in port.

STATION NEEDS REPAIRS.—An iron post supporting the front of No. 5 fire station fell on the sidewalk last night just as Mr. J. Ross was passing. The post, near the corner of 2922 St. Catherine Street, was passing. In falling the post nearly struck Mrs. Ross who was considerably frightened and had to be carried to her home.

RAILWAY NEWS

The Ontario and Quebec division of the C.P.R. has been formed by Mr. H. P. Timmerman, the recently appointed general superintendent who was brought up from Toronto to take the reins of the two subdivisions instead of three, with Messrs. F. P. Brady and A. Price as the assistants of the respective divisions. Mr. A. Price is appointed superintendent of the main line from Hamilton to Smith's Falls including the Toronto terminals, with offices at Toronto; and Mr. F. P. Brady, now located at Philadelphia, is appointed superintendent of the lines west and north of Toronto Junction and the Windsor and Detroit terminals with offices at Toronto. The train dispatcher's offices will be located at Toronto instead of Smith's Falls and London.

TWO MORE CAFE CARS.

The Grand Trunk Railway Company are having built two more cafe cars at Point St. Charles two composites and two cafe cars, which will be ready for use on the main line by the middle of the month. The length of the baggage compartment being 33 feet and 10 inches. The compartment will be finished in cherry and lighted by Pintsch gas. The cars are to be mule end at baggage end and side Pullman's reading car at the other. The seating capacity of the dining room is eight chairs and three seats for the most part persons, and the dining room six tables.

PASSENGER MEN CONFER.

Mr. C. E. E. Usher, general passenger agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway, is in Toronto attending a conference of the passenger agents of the Canadian railways west of Kingston. The business of the meeting is to discuss the proposed amalgamation in connection with the Pan-American traffic and to work out to completion the scheme of amalgamation which was held March 22 at Toronto.

TRAIN LOAD OF GENERAL MERCH.

A C.P.R. special train arrived this morning at Windsor Station from Vancouver with 210 freight cars. One was a loaded woman. One hundred of them are going to Havana, seven to Merida, 68 to New York, he was surprised to find two or three days ago that the license was a character permitting him to officiate in the diocese generally.

G.T.R. EXHIBIT.

The handsome collection of large photographs and maps depicting the projects of interest on the Grand Trunk Railway system, and which are on exhibition at the American Exposition, will be a source of great interest to the visitors. The space in which the exhibition is located covers an area of 4,000 square feet of wall space in the Machinery and Transportation Building, directly across the street from the main entrance on the north side. About 100 pictures form the collection, which are artistically arranged to allow visitors close inspection. Among the collection are included the 90 pictures which were shown at the International Exposition held at Paris last year. The pictures are grouped in districts, and the most striking likenesses of the beauties of the Canadian summer resorts which are becoming so popular with tourists is the view of the Muskoka Lake region, the Lake of the Mountains in the White Mountains of Maine and New Hampshire are also shown, as well as views of the Grand Trunk Railway, the speckled trout from the "Highlands of Ontario" intersperse the scenic views, and the keenest fisherman for the sport which awaits the angler in the northern districts. Across the upper portion of the wall will appear a large painting of the Grand Trunk Victoria Jubilee Bridge, across the St. Lawrence River, in the foreground, and in the background, the scene portrays a sunset view and is very realistic.

STRIKE OUT THE CLAUSE

Ottawa, April 30.—(Special.)—Sir Wm. Van Horne came this morning to the Committee on the bill to amend the law relating to the Grand Falls Water and Power Company's works by three years. The clause which had been put into the bill extending the time for the construction of the Grand Falls Water and Power Company's works by three years, on the river in New Brunswick. In committee recently a clause was put into the bill extending the time for the construction of the Grand Falls Water and Power Company's works by three years, on the river in New Brunswick. In committee recently a clause was put into the bill extending the time for the construction of the Grand Falls Water and Power Company's works by three years, on the river in New Brunswick.

MANITOBA RAILWAY BILLS

Ottawa, April 30.—(Special.)—The Railway Committee today considered the Manitoba Government bills in respect to the leasing and re-leasing of the Manitoba railways. This is the third day that these bills have been up for consideration. An effort was made today to ascertain how the opposition to the bills which ask for the ratification of the Manitoba Government's agreement with the Northern Pacific, and also the Manitoba Government and the Northern Pacific, and also the Manitoba Government and the Northern Pacific, and also the Manitoba Government and the Northern Pacific.

FINDING FATHER JOLY'S BODY

Chief McCaskill, of the Provincial Police, accompanied by Coroner J. J. Joly, left last evening for Ste. Emelie de l'energie, to hold an inquest on the remains of Rev. Father J. E. Joly, found yesterday in the ice which had been the body of the finding of the body show that it was Father Bruyere, the parish priest, and Mr. J. Deault who found it. They were near the edge of the lake when they noticed a dark object in the distance. Thinking it might be something to assist them in solving the mystery of Father Joly's disappearance, they took a skiff and went out into the lake. The body was floating about they found the body standing upright. The body was removed to the presbytery, and to-day the inquest is being held.

NOT SHORT IN ACCOUNTS.

La Patrie, this afternoon, publishes an interview with Mr. Stanislas Picard, confidential clerk of Mr. D. Arsenault, brother of Quebec, who was reported to have disappeared from Quebec leaving a shortage in his accounts of \$30,000 as a result of which the firm of Messrs. Picard and Arsenault was not saying anything regarding the matter, but stated emphatically that the reports regarding his being the cause of the failure or that he had left Quebec because of the failure were entirely unfounded. He said he had left Quebec to take a rest and his address was "Upton, Bagot County, Que."

NO CHANGE IN STRIKE SITUATION.

The striking cigarmakers held a meeting in Blue Label Hall, Dorchester Street, this morning. The committee reported that the factories were still idle. No change whatever was reported in the condition of the strike.

IN THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Henry Rosenbaum, peddler, of St. Dominique Street, was fined \$2 and costs in the Recorder's Court for peddling without a license.

AT THE COURT HOUSE.

The Court of Appeal rendered judgment this morning. Sir Alexander Campbell and Justices Blanchet, Oudet, Hall and Bossé occupied the bench. In the case of the Standard Drain Company vs.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

FOR OTHER FINANCIAL AND COM. MEDICAL, SEE PAGE 11. AFTERNOON BOARD SALES. 10 Pacific at 100. 12 Pacific at 100. 1000 Pacific at 100. 100 Pacific at 100. 25 Toronto Railway at 100. 100 Street Railway at 25 1/2. 25 Street Railway at 25 1/2. 25 Electric at 24 1/2. 25 Electric at 24 1/2. 25 Dominion Cotton at 75. 25 Dominion Cotton at 75. 100 Dominion Coal at 95.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Table with columns: Description, Apr. 29, Apr. 30. Includes Canadian Pacific Railway, D.S.A. pd., Toronto Street Ry., etc.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Table with columns: Description, Op. Cl., Apr. 29, Apr. 30. Includes Am. Tobacco, Am. Sugar, Am. Cotton, etc.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Table with columns: Description, Op., High, Low, Close. Includes Wheat, Corn, Soybeans, etc.

THE CANADIAN PRIMACY

It is reported that the office of prime minister of the Catholic Church in Canada may go to Washington with Mr. Falconio, who has been appointed to the Washington post in succession of Mr. Martinielli. The jurisdiction over the Catholic Church in Canada is held in Ottawa in past, will hereafter be held in Washington. It is reported that the Canadian Church authorities object to this system, but the last issue of the Semaine Religieuse, published in Quebec by Archbishop Begin, states there is no serious opposition in Canada to the plan.

KILLED THE WHOLE FAMILY.

St. Paul, April 30.—The police authorities believe the William Rosenfeld has thrown his four children, ranging in age from 2 1/2 to 7 years, into the Mississippi River from the Marshall Avenue bridge, and then leaped in after them.

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Water Works Department.

By Order, GEORGE JANIN, Superintendent M.W.W. Water Works Department, City Hall, Montreal, April 30th, 1901.

DEATHS IN CONSTABULARY

Ottawa, April 29.—(Special.)—Oliver Mann, Ottawa; Trooper Paddon, New Brunswick; Sergeant Purdon, Montreal, all members of the South African Constabulary, died on board the steamer Montfort, which reached Cape Verde on April 28th. Mann died of brain fever on Good Friday; Paddon died of pneumonia on Easter Sunday, and Trooper Paddon succumbed to brain fever on Easter Monday.

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11 BLEURY STREET, Montreal. Telephone, Main 8214. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. The Allan Line S.S. Parlatan, J. M. Wallace, Master, from Liverpool, is entered at Customs and will please pass their entries without delay. H. & A. ALLAN, Agents.

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CHALLIES! New Silk Stripe Challies, 27 inches wide, in blue, pink, beige, mauve, etc., for 29c yd. All Wool Challies, 30 inches wide, in light and dark ground, in a variety of patterns, 45c yd.

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Satin Oriental (Soft Liberty Satin) 75c yd. All Popular Shades, 20 inches wide.

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W. P. SCOTT, MONTREAL.

Yellowstone National Park. Competitors of the Northern Pacific Railway say the name Yellowstone National Park is one to conjure with, and unwittingly bearing witness to the wonders of that wonderful Wonderland.

passed through committees and stands for third reading. OTHER PRIVATE BILLS. On the motion to pass the bill to incorporate the Canadian National Bank, the Minister of Finance referred to the objection which had been taken to the use of the word "national" in the name, and said that the company was to be named to have the name changed to Sovereign Bank of Canada. The bill was passed in this form.

THE ANCIENT FORESTERS. The next bill taken up was an act the object of which is to place the Ancient Order of Foresters within Federal jurisdiction instead of Ontario jurisdiction.

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS. In reply to Mr. Monk, Sir Wilfrid Laurier stated that the Government was not aware of any insufficiency in the number of railway mail clerks in the Province of Quebec.

THE POPULAR HOLIDAY. Sir Wilfrid Laurier made the following interesting announcement regarding the 24th of May, as he had promised to do.

WEST DURIAM CASE. The question of the West Durham election was taken up by the House when it met on Monday.

PREVENTING BALLOT FRAUDS. There was quite a lengthy discussion on the amendments proposed to prevent the substitution of ballots and other forms of fraud.

COERCION CONDEMNED. Mr. Bourassa referred to a 25-year old charter held by the Canadian Pacific Railway for the construction of a line for 100 miles north from Montreal.

SALARIES OF JUDGES. A resolution fixing the salaries of the senior Circuit Court judge at Montreal at \$8,000 was passed without question.

BONUSES IN ONTARIO. Hespeler, Ont., April 30.—Two municipal by-laws were voted on here yesterday.

THE MONTEAL TERMINAL RAILWAY. Summer rates over the Montreal Terminal Railway go into effect on Sunday next.

TURN THE KEY. Our treatment for the Drink and Drug habit opens the door to a new life of health and happiness.

SHIPPING. The Head Line new steamship Carrigan Head, Captain John Auld, arrived in port yesterday.

DRY DOCK AT ST. JOHN. Ottawa, April 30.—(Special.)—George Robertson, of St. John, N.B., who has been absent from Montreal for the past thirteen months in connection with his scheme for the building of a dry dock at St. John, arrived here last night.

THE DOMINION LINE. The Dominion Line steamship Manchester sailed from Montreal for Manchester on Monday.

THE DOMINION LINE ROYAL AND U.S. MAIL. The Dominion Line Royal and U.S. mail steamship Canada sailed from Montreal on Monday.

ARRIVED—APRIL 29 AND 30. Steamship Carrigan Head, 4,200, Auld, Belfast, April 29, 10.30. Kennedy & Co., general.

VESSLES IN PORT. Steamships, Jacona, 1951, Lindsay, R. Reford & Co. Moored at foot of St. Sulpice Street.

KAISER LOSES HIS TEMPER. Berlin, April 30.—Dietrich Welland's attack upon Emperor William at Bremen still weighs heavily upon Kaiser, who, whenever he comes to talk upon the subject, is said to lose his self-control.

THE ENCYCLOPEDIA FINISHED. Paris, April 30.—A Rome dispatch to the Patrie, published yesterday, says the Pope has finished his encyclical on the subject of the Holy See's relations with France, Spain and Portugal.

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Interesting Reading to be Found in Every Line of This Page

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

BIRTHS. BARWICK-In this city, on April 23, at 1714 St. Lawrence street, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver W. Barwick.

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MARRIAGES.

BEAUFORT-ON April 24, by the Rev. J. K. Macmorris, Henry C. Beaufort, son of the Rev. W. R. Beaufort, Syracuse, to Miss Ethel C. Young, youngest daughter of the late James C. Young, Princess Street, Kingston.

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DEATHS ELSEWHERE.

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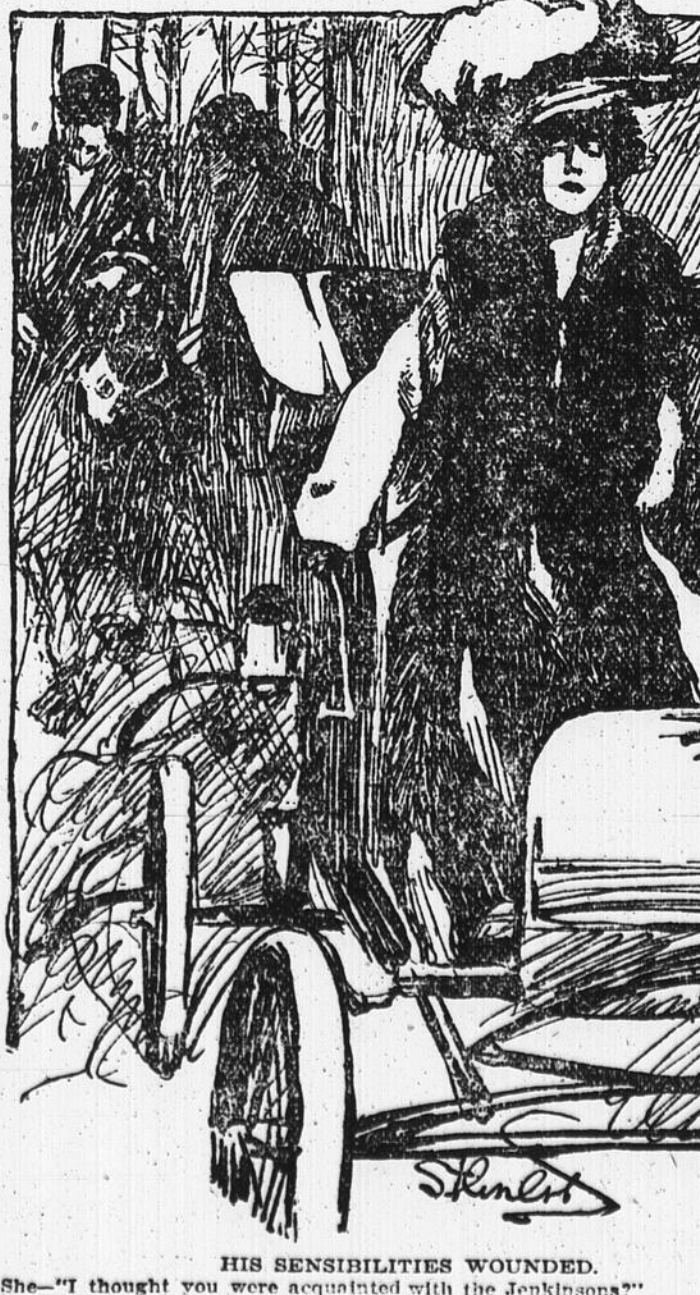
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WHERE BRITISH VALOR WAS BEST SHOWN IN WAR

Julian Ralph Gives Kornepsruit Fight as a Fine Exemplification of Courage.

Julian Ralph, in his book, "An American with Lord Roberts' Army," devotes a chapter to the valor of the British. He says:—

The material for the best exposition of this high quality which this war has provided is an account of the fight at Kornepsruit—with which no engagement that has taken place can compare in richness of examples of this much-prized force. I might well begin with Colonel Picher's visit to Ladybrand with thirty-five men of the 10th Hussars. There he was welcomed by the tricky Boers, and entertained with lavish protestations of friendship. He arrested the landroost, and then heard that thousands of Boers were near by waiting to attack his little band. He gave the order to retire, and instantly the false-hearted people of the place opened fire from windows, doors, and walls—but he got off with the landroost, and did more injury than he suffered. He was in General Broadwood's command, and the Boers were centred at Thaba N'chu. He found Broadwood aware of the massing of many thousands of Boers. The considerable transport of the force (of about 2,000 men) was ordered to retire in advance of the Boers, while the combatants guarded the neck leading to the valley in which Thaba N'chu lies. This was before sunset.

Broadwood had heard that another division of Boers was coming down from Brandfort to join the Ladybrand force, and he sent word to General Roberts, apprising him of his plight. The field-marshal sent out a sufficient support, but the distance from Bloemfontein gave an advantage to the Boers. In Broadwood's little army were 200 Life Guards, 200 of the 10th Hussars, under Colonel Picher; Alderson's Brigade of Mounted Infantry, consisting of the first regiment, the third regiment, the Burmese regiment, and two weak squadrons of Rimington's Tigers and Roberts' Horse. With part of this force Broadwood fought a smart rearguard action from noon until night, holding back the Boers as he imagined. At nine o'clock at night he marched his men out of the Thaba N'chu valley and caught up with his convoy at half-past two o'clock in the morning at the waterworks across the Modder, two hours after the wagons had outspanned there.

All had passed some hills 3,000 yards behind their place of bivouac, and from one of these came shells at daylight, awakening them. This attack changed to his front what he had considered his rear, and, as every general would do, he ordered his convoy to retreat, and he moved towards Bloemfontein. He sent Roberts' Horse with the wagons as an escort, and with these he also despatched Batteries Q and U of the Royal Horse Artillery. Quickly the animals were in motion, and started off, while the main body of the combatants faced about to get into touch with the enemy.

Then came the tragedy—the completest trap—the greatest surprise—the most dramatic coup and the cleverest bit of Boer work—in this war. The Boers were in large force behind Broadwood as well as in front. While he had retreated from Thaba N'chu a large number had doubled on him and taken up an invisible position on his road to Bloemfontein. He heard heavy firing on the convoy behind him. A ridge or slight rise prevented him from seeing its source; but he grasped its import, and sent Captain Chester Master, of Rimington's Tigers, back to find a way out of what he knew to be a trap into which his force had fallen.

until it was useless to stay longer, dismounted, with their arms stacked, tugging at the wagons in a vain endeavor to shift them. Every man of these was a hero, for none of their lives was worth a pin. They took their inspiration from the exclamations of one of their officers, who, before shouting, "Do not leave a penny-worth to the Boers!"

In the meantime the rest of the long train had gone on, over this slight rise beyond the first or little spruit to the Kornepsruit, the larger of the two spruits, and the place of extraordinary disaster. Here were hidden Boer riflemen in four tiers commanding the spruit and the veldt so completely that they could comb them both with shot. The first tier was on the farther bank of the spruit. The second, third and fourth tiers were hidden behind the stone walls of a double cattle kraal built flittingly on the slope beyond the spruit. The leading wagon in the long convoy was Captain Acherley's Scotch cart. It went safely down the spruit and nearly across the drift. Several large buck wagons followed it.

BOERS HALTED CONVOY. They had no reason to suspect the truth, which was that seven hundred Boers were almost close enough to breathe in their faces. Out from their shelter came a few who, like Piccadilly policemen handling a blockade, advanced, holding up their hands and saying, "Stop! You must be going to Bloemfontein, mustn't you? Drive there," or they said, "Drive over there," or "There—go on until we tell you to stop." The negro drivers did as they were told. Such soldiers as were on the cart had thrown their rifles behind them—as they generally do—and these they gave up when ordered to.

There is always a succession of stoppages when a convoy is crossing a drift. It must be because the pace slows in ascending the further side. Thus, with a number of delays, the wagons came thumping, jouncing, and bumping down into the valley, and the Boers rode up and disclosed themselves in little companies, crying out that it was "all up—no use fighting," and demanding their rifles of the soldiers on the wagons.

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COUNCIL BUSINESS PRACTICALLY COMES TO A STANDSTILL

Ald. Jacques' Persistent Obstruction Proves Excessively Annoying.

Not much progress was made with business at the meeting of the City Council yesterday afternoon, owing principally to the persistent and fatuous opposition of Alderman Jacques. The Finance Committee held a special meeting yesterday at noon in order that a report might be prepared for the Council on this occasion, but when the document, recommending the acceptance of the offer for the \$300,000 and the rejection of the offer for the \$1,500,000, was presented to the Council, the Mayor, who was in the chair, had no reference to this order of business on the order paper, and that, consequently, could not be taken up. The remainder of the members had no recourse but to submit to the will of the factious traitor, who has lately done so much to trammel progressive legislation. Alderman Laporte pointed out that delay in this instance meant a great deal of inconvenience to many of the tenderers, who were anxious to secure a refund of their deposit money, which in some cases reached as high as \$75,000. As Alderman Jacques persisted in his objection, however, there was nothing to do but call a special meeting for Friday to discuss the subject. A protracted debate took place on the question of the legality of the Montreal Street Railway's plan of bringing its tracks on Common Street and Common Streets. An opinion was read from the Attorney which maintained that the company was quite within its rights in appropriating the right-of-way of the city, but that it had no right to the right-of-way of the city. The matter was referred back to the Board of Commissioners for their consideration. Mr. J. A. Laguerriere was elected superintendent of the garbage department.

THE RAILWAY IMBROGLIO.

A report was read from the Road Committee in favor of the abolition of route No. 10 in the Street Railway by-law, and which, at present, the company has a right to operate on Commissioner Street. In this connection the following report was read from the Finance Committee, which answered a number of questions put to them:— "We have to transmit to you herewith our opinion on the questions which were submitted to us in reference to the interpretation to be given to the by-law No. 210, as to route No. 10 and clause 43, viz.:— "The question—Route No. 10 is designated in by-law No. 210 as passing over the Common Street from Berri Street to McGill Street. The plan annexed to the deed which created this line must pass over Commissioner Street from Berri Street to the Custom House, and on Common Street from the Custom House to McGill Street. Supposing the city does not discontinue route No. 10, has the M.S.R. Co. the right to use its tracks on Common Street, if it does not follow Commissioner Street to McGill Street? "Answer—Route No. 10 passes at Dalhousie Station through Commissioner Street to McGill Street, and was never abolished since the adoption of by-law No. 210, to wit, from the 21st December, 1892. This track differs, it is true, from the plan annexed to the contract, but it is in conformity with the conditions and specifications adopted by the Council on the 19th July, 1892, and which also form part of the contract signed after the adoption of the said by-law; and we find that by a report of the Finance Committee, adopted by the Council in 1898, the city allowed the M.S.R. Co. to establish a single track on Youville Street, temporarily, pending the completion of route No. 10. We are, therefore, of the opinion that, as long as route No. 10 is not discontinued by the Council, the company will have to follow Commissioner Street as provided by the by-law and the contract and specifications.

QUEEN'S SCHOLARSHIPS.

Kingston, April 30.—(Special.)—At Queen's University yesterday afternoon the pass list with scholarships and prizes were announced. The following were awarded university scholarships:—R. B. Mackay, Cornwall; "The Graduate" in Chemistry—G. E. Ellis, Ellersville; "Carruthers" in Mining—J. A. Reid, Montreal; N.S.; T. F. Sutherland, DeLoro, Ont.; "Calvin" in Latin—W. Playfair, Almonte.

CLOSED UP THE CANTINE.

Kingston, April 30.—(Special.)—A Kingston man who is on his way to South Africa to join Baden Powell's constabulary, writing from Cape Verde, says that the 1,200 men on board voted as to whether they would discontinue the canteen or not. Only 100 men voted in favor of retaining it, so the canteen was shut up.

MR. PRESTON SUES FOR LIBEL.

Toronto, April 30.—Mr. W. L. Preston and his solicitor, Mr. Louis F. Heyd, K.C., were at Osmond Hall yesterday arranging for the issue of a writ for \$10,000 for libel against the "Western Journal." The alleged libel is contained in a letter published by the Journal in which Mr. F. Robertson, Mr. Preston's cousin, made various reflections on the latter's character and on his evidence before the Senate Committee in the "Cavello" case. "I'll spend my follow-up this case."

A CHORUS OF "HAI, CURIOSITY."

Chief Benoit is in receipt of the following remarkable note:—"Last evening at about 10 p.m. one of the iron posts in front of No. 5 Fire Station fell across the footpath without any warning, and a lady and her child in a baby carriage was passing at the time it fell across the footpath of the carriage most cutting it in two. It did not catch his feet but the lady got an fright. The lady's name is Mrs. Ross, 2022 St. Catherine Street."

PRIVATE HARRIS AT FRISCO.

Private Abe Harris, of the 26th United States Infantry, son of Mr. Sam Harris, manager of St. Lawrence, has arrived at San Francisco on the transport Garonne, after a voyage of seven weeks from the Philippines. He will be in Montreal in a couple of weeks, he will be in Montreal in a couple of weeks.

ST. JOHN DRY DOCK

EX-MAYOR OF ST. JOHN HAS BEEN INTERVIEWING THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT.

Mr. George Robertson, member of the New Brunswick Legislature, and ex-Mayor of St. John, has returned from England. Mr. Robertson left St. John more than a year ago to obtain a subsidy from the British Government and organize a company for the construction of a million dollar dry dock in St. John. Subsidies for this enterprise have been voted by the Dominion Government, New Brunswick and the city of St. John, and the Imperial Government some time ago intimated that they would aid the undertaking. Mr. Robertson went to England previous to the general elections, and he negotiated in the first place with Mr. Goschen, the then first lord of the admiralty, but since the elections, and the change in the portfolios, he has to do with Lord Selbourne, and of late with the (Colonial) Office. Mr. Robertson was in New York the other day on his way to Ottawa. He would not explicitly give the result of his mission, but said the negotiations with the British Government reached such a point the Dominion Government had to be interested. He spoke like a man who had success in sight.

NEW YORK CANALS.

Albany, April 30.—Colonel Partridge, State Superintendent of Public Works, yesterday changed the date of opening of navigation on the canals from May 4 to May 7.

if nothing could escape their bullets. They endeavored to be just, and ordered to one side the men of U Battery, who had been obliged to surrender. If ever the human eye and ear anticipated the horrors of hell it was there and then. Two Tommies hiding under a wagon were joined by a Boer. They dragged him between them, and pommelled him senseless. A gunner, with his horse away under that in former downpour of shells and raking of German bullets.

The Burmese Mounted Infantry, Major Cruikshank in command, formed up at the front edge of the rise, and gave the order to surrender. The British were ordered to stand up, and the Boers shot in streams like molten lead. The New Zealand Mounted Rifles did as well in covering the first line of the retiring force. Dismounting and putting their mounts under cover, they blazed away at the Boers standing up in the open and in the worst of the fire—as if they were defying the death that kept searching the whole veldt with its snaky fingers.

When General Broadwood learned the facts he felt, as did every other soldier there, that all were trapped, and that there might be no way out. To surrender occurred to no man in that great band of heroes. To find a way out, and take that to die, was the single idea common to all. Broadwood came into the vortex of the battle and stampeded and brought his command to order, and then raced all the panic-stricken horses, and it was here that the men began to control the animals, and discipline was brought with a violent effort out of chaos. All over the veldt was the mad disorder of a stampeding convoy and the steele of eddies. The confusion in the drift was awful. Horses and wagons ran other horses and wagons down. But at last order came out of it all.

In the meantime we have left part of the convoy and all of Roberts' Horse in the heart of the drenching rain of bullets. Major Dawson, commanding the Horse, heard the order to surrender, and replied simply, "File about Gallop!" This is also the time when persistent rumor says that the men who had surrendered in the spruit were shot by the Boers. I believe this is wholly false. As I have said, the prisoners were told to stand aside, and those who were shot suffered as everybody did—even many of the Boers themselves—from a cross fire in great part coming from an unfinished railway embankment on the Boer right.

BROADWOOD ARRIVES.

It was then that General Broadwood came over the ridge with all his command to begin as gallant a fight as is recorded in any annals. Shelled from behind and raked by rifle fire in front, on the right and on the left rear, at 1,000 yards, with men and horses falling, with Boers shooting Boers, with everybody else in the direct, maddening confusion, this little British force remained under perfect discipline defending itself in the open against the murderous fire of a hidden three to one. Under these circumstances, Broadwood carried out as brilliant a retirement as human brain and nerve could devise and execute. There is not a man who was with Broadwood on that day who is not willing to follow him anywhere—even to the inferno, if the Boers do not give up when they are driven there.

The four guns which escaped the worst fate in the first surprise were called on men, and to try to recover the two they were obliged to abandon. The men of the battery were only a few tatters of the original body—a skeleton, a dismembered, crippled thing. But what men were left sat bolt upright through the tempest of lead, right, soldierly, without a sign of what they had experienced, or of what they knew lay before them. They turned, faced the godwin of their disaster, and

Weak, Nervous Men



A despondent, weak, nervous man—a man without any vim, snap, vigor or ambition—such a man needs treatment.

For 30 years I have been treating those peculiar nervous symptoms which result from youthful errors or later excesses, such as Drains, Losses, Impotency, Varicocele, Debility, etc.

I treat weak men and weak men only. This is my specialty. I know the CAUSE, the EFFECT, the CURE. I never use drugs. I have not written a prescription in 30 years, as long ago as that I discovered the life-giving properties of GALVANIC ELECTRICITY. I then gave to the world my famous Dr. Sanden Electric Belt, and from that time until now I have treated hundreds of thousands of weak men and have effected 95 per cent. of permanent cures.

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If nearby, drop in at this office and see me personally, or write and I will give you letter my personal attention. I will be glad to send you, free, my new illustrated book for men, "Health in Nature," sent by mail in plain sealed envelope. Write or call to-day.

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The Dangers of Spring

When Disease Finds an Easy Victim in Every Person Whose Blood is Thin, Watery and Impure—Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, a Marvellous Spring Medicine.

Because hosts of persons are complaining of being weak, debilitated and generally used up these days is no reason why you should suffer or why you should not take steps to avoid the dangers which await a run-down and exhausted system.

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You may feel too tired to drag yourself about your daily task; you may lack energy and ambition; you may suffer from indigestion, nervous headache and bodily pains and aches; you may realize that every organ of your body is more or less deranged as a result of the poisonous impurities which spring finds lurking in your blood.

Hosts of people are in this state of health in the spring, and more fall victims of fatal disease at this season of the year than any other; spring is death's harvest time, because it is then that the blood is thin, weak and impure, and the vitality of the body at lowest ebb.

Wisdom points to the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food in the spring as the best means available of restoring strength and buoyancy to every nerve and tissue of the body. It is a wonderfully successful remedy, because it is composed of a number of the most effective restoratives that can be found in the whole team of nature.

When you use Dr. Chase's Nerve Food regularly for a few weeks you can feel the thrill of new life blood and fresh nerve vigor coursing through the body. With plenty of rich, red blood to nourish and sustain them, all the organs of the body are restored to healthful activity, and the weaknesses, irregularities and diseases of spring disappear.

The stomach resumes its digestive functions, the action of the heart is strong and regular, the nerves steady, the liver, kidneys and bowels perform their duties, and life becomes a pleasure instead of a burden. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is the most effective spring restorative that money can buy. You can get it from your dealer, or direct from these offices, postpaid, for 50 cents a box, 6 boxes for \$2.50. Edmansons, Bates & Co., Toronto.

WILLIS & CO.'S NEW PIANO HOUSE.

Willis & Co. who have been in business in Notre Dame Street for twenty-seven years have moved to 81, Catherine Street, Empire Building, near Mountain Street, Nos. 2470-2472 directly opposite Jas. A. Ogilvy's dry goods store, where the firm has opened the largest and the finest music establishment in Canada.—Adv.

BASEBALL
MONTREAL'S THROW
BEAT MONTREAL
It Gave the Bronchos a Lead of Two Runs—Toronto Came Out on Top.

Montreal dropped another game yesterday owing to Quinlan's error. It is stated, however, that Quinlan is one of the best third-base performers in the league, and his fast work around that sack goes after everything which pleases the local crowd.

Table with columns: A.B.R.P.O.A.E. for Montreal and Rochester players.

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PROVIDENCE WON. Providence, April 29.—Providence was victorious over Syracuse, but the game was longer than at any time this season. Hooper was substituted.

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IT'S A TREAT to dine at Stillwell's for 15 cents you get everything first-class. Open night and day. Seven meals for \$1.00; 21 for \$2.75; 35 for \$4.50; 100 for \$12.50.

THE SEASON'S RULES. No pronounced objections have gone up from any of the Eastern League teams over the new rules...

Wouldn't BALL NOTES. It is for you? Hitting well, too. Why even Toronto won. Thursday opening day here.

IS GOLF A SCOTCH GAME?

Hitherto it has been believed—especially by Scotsmen—that Scotland taught England how to play golf, but Mr. E. J. L. Scott, secretary of the Department of Agriculture...

Chicago pitcher it might win the pennant—Gardner playing good ball at short for Reddy. Grey dropped another easy fly at Buffalo on Saturday.

MAT AND RING

SULLIVAN DOWNED McLELLAND. Louisville, Ky., April 29.—Jack McLeelland of Pittsburgh was knocked out in the twentieth round tonight by Dave Sullivan of Brooklyn.

ROEBER TURNED QUITTER. Boston, Mass., April 29.—First big wrestling match for years in Boston ended in a fizzle tonight at all appearances.

WIN FOR MATHEWS. Louisville, April 29.—Matty Mathews, of New York, was given the decision over Tom Conbig, of Dunkirk, N.Y., in the twentieth round tonight.

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THE TURF
MISCELLANEOUS
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REMAKE GOOD SHOWING
Spirited Competitions for the Blue and White Championship Ribbons.

There have been some first-class competitions in the High School in-door championships which have just concluded. The prizes are ribbons of the school colors, with the event and date printed in gold.

Lawson's family have never approved of his owning race horses, but he overcame their objections in part by donating most of his winnings in purses and stakes to charitable institutions.

absolutely last in the first and seventh in a field of ten in the second heat. After the second heat Lawson must still wait in the pool but in a steady stream...

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GERMANS WERE CAUGHT IN A TRAP

During Fighting Near the Great Wall, a Detachment Was Severely Handled.

Pekin, April 30.—The generals of the powers held a conference yesterday to consider the question of the withdrawal of the troops and decided to address a note to the ministers informing them that, when the ministers are able to announce the lump sum demanded as indemnity and the Chinese have agreed to the principle of payment, arrangements will be possible for the withdrawal.

The other matters discussed were the handing over of the administration of Peking to native officials, and the plan for the command of the legation guards, as to whether the command should be centered in one officer or each detachment should be independent.

Regarding the Government of Peking it was decided to allow the Chinese gradually to assume more control until the civil government was entirely in their hands, the military only exercising passive supervision.

The Germans were virtually caught in a trap near the Ku Kwan pass. A detachment of 80 had forty-five casualties, while the Chinese losses are said to have been nominal.

SOME HARD FIGHTING.

Berlin, April 30.—Later despatches from Field Marshal Count von Waldersee show that the fighting at the Great Wall was on a considerable scale. There were three engagements on April 23 and one on April 24. The Chinese were everywhere and offered a stubborn resistance.

Of the four columns forming General von Ketteler's brigade, that under Major Muehlenfels seems to have had the toughest fighting. It encountered the Chinese occupying a position on the heights commanding the pass.

The Germans were not engaged. Gen. von Lessel has agreed with Gen. Bailouf, the French commander, that the latter shall temporarily occupy Kukuan.

A SECOND STEEL TRUST

Trenton, N.J., April 30.—The Pennsylvania Steel Company, with an authorized capital of \$50,000,000, was incorporated here this afternoon, to mine, manufacture and deal in iron, steel, manganese and other metals; also coke, gas, lumber and other materials.

LAXA LIVER PILLS

Those who have used Laxa-Liver Pills say they have no equal for relieving and curing Constipation, Sick Headache, Bilioussness, Dyspepsia, Coated Tongue, Foul Breath, Heart Burn, Water Brash or any disease or disorder of the stomach, liver or bowels.

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LAST WEEK of the Great Jewellery Sale at
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We will make a special effort to clear out our entire stock this week. We still have \$25,000 worth of Diamonds to dispose of. An extensive array of fine Jewellery, Ladies' and Gents' Gold and Silver Watches, Sterling and Silver-plated Flatware, Fine Cut Glass, Bric-a-Brac, Bronzes, Fine English Cutlery, etc. The greatest opportunity ever offered to procure the finest class of goods ever sold by public auction in this city.

MORGAN IS ONLY BUYING UP STOCK

Director of Leyland Line Denies Report of Direct Purchase.

London, April 30.—It was stated here yesterday that the first step in the direction of the consolidation of some of the biggest trans-Atlantic shipping interests had been accomplished by the purchase by J. Pierpont Morgan & Co. of the Leyland-line of steamers and that a deposit on the purchase money has been paid.

The Daily Mail this morning publishes an interview with Mr. Glynn, a director of the Leyland line at Liverpool, in which Mr. Glynn says the American syndicate represented by Mr. Morgan sought to obtain sufficient of the ordinary shares of the company to give them the right to the nomination of two directors. Mr. Glynn explained that the negotiations were incomplete, but that only to this extent would the Leyland line be under the influence of the American syndicate.

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NATIVES PRESS HENEKER'S MEN

Expedition Has So Far Been Successful, But Blacks Are Rising.

London, April 30.—Information received here from Urom, West Africa, and dated March 25, is to the effect that the punitive expedition under Major Heneker, composed of 200 men, which had penetrated to the northeast of Benin City, and there arrested an important town, was being attacked in force. The natives are collecting from all parts of the country. Up to the date of the report Major Heneker's command had had 32 casualties.

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ARMY OFFICERS LEVIED TRIBUTE

U. S. Officers Stationed at Manila Charged With Receiving Bribes.

Manila, April 30.—The trial of Captain James G. Reed, former depot commissary at Manila, and who was arrested about a fortnight ago for alleged participation in the commissary frauds, was begun here yesterday and will develop into a celebrated case. Captain Reed is charged with soliciting and receiving bribes and with other official misconduct.

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LIST OF HONORS FOR CANADIANS

Official Roll, as Published in the London Gazette, of Special Distinctions.

The list of honors and promotions accorded the officers and men serving in the South African campaign as announced in the London Gazette of April 19, is preceded by the following: "The King has graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotions, and appointments to the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, and the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; for the following appointments to the Distinguished Service Order; and for the following promotions in the army; in recognition of the services of the undermentioned officers during the operations in South Africa."

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Jewellery to be Worn at the Horse Show.

This is an age of jewel-wearing, and there is little doubt but that at the coming Horse Show, society will display it lavishly. The event demands appropriate styles and to this end we have made up various pieces in dainty Stick Pins, Cuff Links, Charms and other jewellery. The designs are in Miniature Riding Crops, Horseshoes, Hunter's Horns, etc., and will be sure to find favor with the patrons of this popular society event.

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DIOCESAN COLLEGE EXAM. RESULTS

The final results of the examinations of the Diocesan Theological College were announced yesterday. They are as follows:—

THIRD YEAR.
Old Testament—2nd class—Ireland, Croly.
New Testament—2nd class—Ireland, Croly.
Dogmatics—1st class—Ireland (Mills prize), Apologetics—1st class—Croly, 2nd class—Ireland.
Ecclesiastical History—2nd class—Ireland.
Liturgics—1st class—Ireland (Leonard prize).
Patristics—2nd class—Ireland.

SECOND YEAR.
Old Testament—2nd class—Tandy, 3rd class—Douglas, Whitley, Carruthers.
New Testament—2nd class—Mount, 3rd class—Croly, Whitley, Carruthers, Chartiers.
Dogmatics—2nd class—Carruthers, Mount, Tandy, 3rd class—Whitley, Douglas.
Ecclesiastical History—1st class—Croly, Apologetics—2nd class—Croly, 3rd class—Chartiers.
Ecclesiastical History—1st class—Chartiers, Whitley, 2nd class—Croly, Carruthers, 3rd class—Mount.
Liturgics—1st class—Tandy, Whitley, 2nd class—Douglas, 3rd class—Carruthers, Carruthers, Whitley.

FIRST YEAR.
Old Testament—1st class—Bruce, 2nd class, Douglas, Tandy.
New Testament—1st class—Bruce, 3rd class, Tandy, Douglas.
Dogmatics—1st class—Bruce, Tandy, 2nd class—Douglas.
Apologetics—1st class—Bruce, Tandy, 2nd class—Douglas.
Ecclesiastical history—1st class—Bruce, Tandy, 2nd class—Douglas.

SPECIAL PRIZE.
English Bible—Senior 2nd class, Ireland, Junior English Bible—1st class, Bruce, Jenkins, Chartiers, 2nd class, Douglas, Whitley, Tandy, Carruthers.
Hebrew—1st class, Tandy.
Elocution—1st class, Whitley, 2nd class, Bruce, Douglas, Mount.
In the final year first class general standing, Bruce; 2nd class general standing, Tandy, Croly; 3rd class, general standing, Chartiers, Douglas, Whitley, Mount, Carruthers.

FUNERAL OF JAMES WARREN.

The funeral of Mr. James Warren, late traveler for the James McCready Co., took place yesterday from his late residence, 401 St. Urbain Street, to St. Patrick's Church. The funeral was largely attended, among those present being a large number of the members of the Canada Council of the Knights of Columbus, to which deceased belonged. The chief mourners were his two brothers, Messrs. John and Robert Warren, his cousin, Mr. Robert Warren, and brother-in-law, Mr. J. Mullin. Interment took place at Cote des Neiges Cemetery.

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